



KERALA UNIVERSITY OF FISHERIES & OCEAN STUDIES
കേരള ഫിഷറീസ്-സമുദ്രപഠന സർവ്വകലാശാല

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Dated :14/10/2026

EMPLOYMENT NOTIFICATION

Applications in the prescribed format from qualified candidates are invited for appointment to the post of **DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH** in the University.

Sl.No	Name of the Post	No. of vacancies
1	Director of Research	1

Qualification for the post of DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH

1. M.F.Sc. in any discipline/Masters degree in Fisheries/Ocean Science or Environmental Sciences or Marine Sciences and allied or related subjects from a recognized University with a minimum of OGPA of 3.00/4.00 in the trimester system or 7.5/10.00 in the semester system or 55% marks in the traditional system or their equivalent
2. A minimum of fifteen years of teaching experience in University/College, and/or experience in research at the University/National level institution/industries, including experience of guiding candidates for research at doctoral level. A minimum score as stipulated in the Academic Performance Indicator (API) based Performance Based Appraisal System (PBAS), set out in the UGC Regulations/ICAR Regulations.
3. Fifteen years experience in teaching, research and extension activities at University level/state or national institutions of which at least five year shall be in the cadre of Professor or Principal Scientist or equivalent in the University Grants Commission Scale. Record of productive research work indicated by published work and should also have at least five years of experience in research administration and management.
4. Administrative experience in planning, fisheries and ocean related research activities organizing and executing projects. Experience in conducting research projects, preparation of reports funded by national/international funding agencies

Desirable:

1. Teaching experience at graduate or post graduate levels/research tie up with National/International organizations.
2. Established position of leadership and of scientific reputation of proven capacity in research/teaching/extension education.



Period of Appointment:- The appointment to the post of Director of Research shall be for a period of five years or the date of superannuation whichever is earlier.

Superannuation:- The age of superannuation of Director of Research shall be sixty years or the date on which he completes the tenure of 5 years, whichever is earlier.

Minimum Age Limit:- The minimum age limit for applying the post is above 45 years.

Emoluments:- Not less than the scale of pay of Professor as per UGC norms.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. The prescribed essential qualifications are the minimum and mere possession of the same does not entitle candidates to be called for interview. Where the number of applications received is large and/or where it will not be convenient or possible to interview all the candidates, the University at its discretion may restrict the number of candidates to a reasonable limit on the basis of qualifications/experience prescribed in the advertisement.

2. The qualification prescribed shall be as on the last date for receipt of application.

3. **Application fee: Rs. 3000/- (For Candidates other than SC/ST)**

Rs. 750 /- (For SC/ST Candidates)

4. **Mode of remittance of fee: - Via Online to the account given below:-**

Account No: 67149674791

Name: Finance Officer, KUFOS

Bank & Branch:-SBI,SARoad,Vyttila

IFSC:-SBIN0070517

5. How to apply: Interested candidates are requested to apply in the prescribed format with 2 set of application which can be downloaded from the University website www.kufos.ac.in (attached hereunder) along with biodata, supporting documents (self attested) and proof of remitting application fee.

6. Applications submitted not in the prescribed format, without fee and supporting documents will be summarily rejected.

7. Applications should reach at the below address **on or before 5.00 pm on 13.11.2026.**

THE REGISTRAR

KERALA UNIVERSITY OF FISHERIES AND OCEAN STUDIES

PANANGAD P.O.,

MADAVANA, KOCHI-682 506.

8. The University will not be responsible for any postal delay.

9. The envelope should be super-scribed with the advertisement number and the post applied for.

10. No interim queries regarding interview/selection will be entertained. Canvassing in any form will be a disqualification.

11. Employees who are working in Universities/Govt. Colleges/other State or Central Government Institutions and possessing the above qualifications are eligible to Apply for the post. Interested candidates shall submit their application through proper channel, with Biodata, and other documents. No Objection Certificate from the concerned authority should be attached with the application.

12. The Degrees/ Diplomas awarded by UGC approved Universities or Institutions established through an act passed by Parliament/ State Legislative Assembly in accordance with the conditions laid down in G. O. (M. S.) No. 526/PD dated 17.07.1965 are acceptable for appointment in this University.

13. All experience certificate shall be duly certified by the concerned controlling





KUFOS HQRS, Panangad, Ernakulam

officer/Head of Office of the Govt/University/Institutions etc. The genuineness of the certificate shall be subjected to verification and legal action will be taken against those who issue and produce bogus certificate.

14. The University reserves the right to -

- a. not to fill up any or all posts advertised.
- b. draw reserve panels for appointment to possible future vacancies;

REGISTRAR

To:

1. Programmer (For publishing in KUFOS web site)
2. PRO (for publishing in News Papers)
3. Notice Board/SF

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APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH

Affix a recent
Photograph(self
attested)

Notification No. and Date:.....

1.	Name (In EnglishBlock Letters)			
2.	Address for Communication			
3.	Permanent Address			
4.	Telegraphic Address/Fax Nos. ifany			
5	Phone Nos.	Landline		Email ID :
		Mobile		
6.	Date of Birth (In Figures and in words- attach proof) and age on the date of submitting application form to KUFOS			
7.	Nativity			
8.	Sex			

9.	Marital Status								
10.	Religion								
11.	Caste/Community (Attach Proof)								
12.	Category (Put 'X' mark in the appropriate column)		SC	S T	OB C	General	PH	EX- Service	Any Others
13.	Present Employment If employed								
	i.	Present designation							
	ii.	Name and Address of the Present Employer							
14.	Qualification (Attach copy of Mark List)		Name of Degree	% of marks/ OGP A	Name of Institution and University		Year of pass	Class/Rank	
	Graduation								
	Post Graduation								
	M.Phil								
	Ph.D.								
	Post Doctoral								
15.	Additional Qualifications, if any (Attach Proof)								
16.	Experience (Attach separate sheets with supporting evidences)								
		Name of the Institution	Post held	Period From To		Year	Month	Days	
	Teaching								
	Research								
	Extension								
	Administration								

	Any Other				
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17.	List of Publications: (Attach separate sheets, if required)		
	i.	Standard referred journal (Peer Reviewed)	
		a. International	
		b. National	
		c. Non Peer Reviewed Journals	
		(List out the published papers with journal name, etc. and a copy of reprint should be enclosed)	
	ii.	Papers published in Seminars/Symposia Proceedings	
		a. International	
		b. National	
		c. Regional	
		(List out the published papers with ISBN/ISSN Numbers. A copy of reprint should be enclosed)	
iii.	Abstracts (Mention the title of the article, name of the abstract, with number)		
18.	Research projects handled as PI and Co-PI (Mention the total outlay for each project. Mention the ongoing and completed project with a list of evidence).		
19.	Any patent/technology transfer/product/process disseminated from completed projects (give details with evidence and also furnish the acceptance report from funding agency)		
20.	Research Guidance (Provide a list with evidence)		
	i.	M.Phil./M.F.Sc.	
	ii.	Ph.D.	

21.	Training courses/refresher courses/orientation courses/summer/winter schools participated (Mention the days of participation for each programme. A list is needed with evidence)		
22.	Invited lectures/lead talks at International/ National/Regional level (Provide a list with evidence).		
23.	Chairman in conduct of scientific session (Mention at International, National level, State level with evidence).		
24.	Organizing conferences/seminar/ training/summer/ winter schools/refresher courses/ orientation courses. (Mention the number of days for the programme conducted with proof).		
25.	Teaching		(Evidence need to be furnished)
	i.	Number of UG courses handled	
	ii.	Number of PG courses handled	
	iii.	Number of Ph.D. courses handled	
26.	Preparation and imparting knowledge/instruction as per curriculum/syllabus enrichment by providing additional resources to students (with supporting documents)		
27.	Innovative teaching learning methodologies, updating of subject content, course improvement, etc. (with evidences)		
28.	Any new UG/PG courses introduced (with evidence)		
29.	Teaching manuals prepared (list with attachment)		
30.	Experience in International organizations (attach proof)		
31.	Out station experience (Mention the period of any training/awareness programme, etc. conducted including the farmers meet and farmers queries answered, with supporting documents)		

	i.	As Assistant Professor	
	ii.	As Associate Professor	
	iii.	Professor	
32.	Medals/Awards (Mention with authentication)		
33.	Patents		
34.	Books published (List out the publisher name and other particulars)		
35.	Editorial Work		
	i.	Single Editor	
	ii.	Multiple Editor	
	iii.	Reviewer	
	(Mention the book name with evidence)		
36.	Extension Programme (with evidences)		
	i.	NSS	
	ii.	NCC	
	iii.	Sports and Cultural Activities	
	iv.	Farmer/Field activities (seminar, exhibition organized, preparation of exhibits, on-farm trial studies conducted)	
	v.	Any other	
37.	New Technologies introduced (with proof)		
38.	Extension articles published (Give the list and enclose the articles)		
39.	Radio Talk/TV programmes/Campus Development activities/Popular articles published in news papers (with proof)		
40.	Budget operated in your earlier service (evidence should be furnished)		

41.	New land/building constructed for the development of university service (evidence should be furnished)	
42.	Any infrastructure facilities created (in the college or universities with evidence)	
43.	Countries visited if any, duration and purpose of visit	
44.	Scale of Pay in the present post	
45.	Charge/ punishment, if any.	
46.	Confidential Report for the preceding five years as Associate Professor/Professor	
47.	Details of present job	
48.	Name and address of two referees (Who can certify your personal competency)	
49.	Any other information regarding experience, etc. in support of satisfying the rules prescribed for the post applied for.	
50.	Proof showing particulars of Application fee paid Rs... for SC/ST candidates and Rs... for other categories. UTR No: _____ Date: _____	

DECLARATION

I certify that the information furnished above are true and the correct to best of my knowledge and belief. Should there be any incorrect or false information having been furnished or that may come to light, in due course, I bind myself for such action as the university may decide.

Place
Date

Signature
Name & Designation of the Applicant